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## Illiteracy in New York and Else-

in matters of public education. If a relatively small percentaic of illiteraly is galling to New York, any complacence burdened in this respect must be regarded as doubly misplaced.

## An Objector's Logic.

The following communication is such a remarkable contribution to the literature of compulsory attendance that we give it special prominence and commend it to phiectors in general:

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You say that compulsory education means that the State supplies the school and the children must not be prevented from attending, and you ask "Mr. Objector' if he objects to that, and does it worry him. You've asked a question. I ask a word in reply.

Yes, it worties me, and it should worry every thinking man when he contemplates the invasion of his household by the truant officer clothed with power to bludgeon his child into this miserable creation, the public schools, and whether the parent wishes it or not.

They are teaching mind at the expense of the morals, and the godless institutions are pouring out streams of immorality and filth, yet complacent gentlemen say that we must be forced to furnish the feed for this ungodly grind. The State has furnished the schools. Yes! There are apologies of achools in most of communities, which, to enter, is to court moral death. Yet I must be forced. Guarding the rights of the child! Has the child no moral right? Do you teach morals? You dare not say you do.

Yet my family is to be invaded, in order to give the educational dyspeptic a chance to bocome satisfied with himself.

The ferocity with which you denounce. Northern centralization and the avidity with which you endorse Yankee legislation is something wonderful. Last fall the papers teemed with denunciation of the deplorable social conditions of Pennsylvania, and yet our legislators, just out of session copied every law it could find on the Pennsylvania satutes that was responsible for its social corruption. The Legislature has destroyed almost every domestic right of the man and the research session is now asked to put the

finishing touches to the situation by turning the children over to the truant officer. Great is the Legislature: Will the bill pass Very likely. Following recent prestige it will pass any kind of law that will disgrace, degrade and rob the man. Should it do so, it will be a direct violation of all the rules of God and

tivate the habit of care and attention in all things. And that's worth while, nov

## Abolish Local Hangings.

growing industry, and it is making the

A .- H. H. Rogers-like, we decline to answer. You may get a little light, how-

man walked on. This is said to be the first money your uncle has foolishly

a great religious revival, it seems equally true that we are likely to stay there a good while.

Mrs. Morris's determined protests seen to lead to the conclusion that this was the first time she has ever been hazed.

If he is really such a confirmed swearer, why couldn't General Bingham devote one swear to swearing off.

The difference between a statesman and a politician, they are saying, is simply as to whether or not he gets a job.

You may call it a Congressional meas ure if you like, but in Washington they are pretty apt to call it Bill for short.

There is some ground for believing that Santo Domingo's army is a tall colored gentleman with brass knucks.

It is highly likely that Mr. Rogers will make very few more appearances

in the role of the Speechless One. Mr. Poultney Bigelow's chances for glorious martyrdom have dwindled to a

The making of good resolutions, however, need not necessarily be confined to

Japan wants to buy the Philippines. What on earth will she do with our ex Filipinos?

The good old town is getting ready to hit the mark. She is blazing away at a great rate.

President Roosevelt didn't read his message to Congress. He didn't have the

out with a microscope hunting for the pieces...

every domestic right of the man and the It's the timidest winter yet

## Views of the Virginia Editors

Barter in Judges.

### Old Virginia,

### The Farmers' Problem.

#### Two Sides to It.

recommendation in favor of attendance opens a most perple on. The Governor sustains his

Richmond and Norfolk are having a great deal of trouble over their fake clubs. These clubs are organized, it appears principally that the law may be violated by the sale of liquors on Sunday, and after the lawful hour for closing the saloons. This is one of the curses from which Roanoke is free.—Roanoke Times.

## Chatham's New School.

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Chatham will in the near future have a nandsome, comfortable and modern school building. This is expected to be a high school. Every town and county should have such a school, where a child can attend, and upon graduating be ready to take up life's work without having to take a three or four years' course at college, before being able to do so.—Pittsylvania Tribune.

The poil tax prerequisite has aided if not alone sufficed to greatly diminish the number of negro electors, but it has likewise made surprising inroads into the white electorate. The alarming extent to which the whole electorate has been reduced has caused many Democrats to consider the feasibility of abolishing

The Machine and the Legislature. The Democratic cacus did some good and some bad things. But the hand of the machine was in it from start to finish, and has thus widened a breach in the party which was started some time ago by reason of the dictatorial methods the machine has inaugurated. It is useless to say that there is a limit to human endurance. Some of the machine methods have already been rebuked, others will be later on. This State is not a bull pen where the occupant can be sold or traded to the highest bidder. When the machine began the last campaign it went deep down and hunted for men in accord with it, and they are showing their loyalty or their discipline, or both—Staunton Spectation.

## The State Fair.

We are glad to see the Richmond peo-ple working to revive the old State fair. It is true the old State fair was more or less a fraud and no one who attended really got the worth of his money, but the occasion brought the people to gether, and we county folks had an excuse to go off on a frolic.—Halifax Record—Ad-vertiser.

## A Pleasant Awakening.

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The most curious story of modern fortune is that which relates to the late Colonel Harry McCalmont. He was as poor as need be, though none the less happy for that. He went to the reading of his uncle's will hoping that perhaps the departed gentleman might have remembered him to the extent, say, of an old watch. True enough, the lawyer read out the words, "To my nephew, Harry McCalmont, I leave my watch and chain." The legatee was satisfied, and, leaning back, he drowsed, lulled by the monotonous tones of the lawyer, as he read through the lon instrument. At the close he rose, to go. "I congratulate you," said the solicitor, "I don't know why you should," said the cother. "You are residuary legatee," remarked the lawyer. "You will have 4,00 pounds annually for the first five years from date, and afterwards you will inherit some seven millions sterling." We have all awakened hearing the same sort of story. But ours have been dreams; this was real.—St. James Gazette.

## Labouchere and the Ladies.

In Mr. Labouchere woman had no champion in the House of Commons, and the announcement of his retirement will certainly cause no regret among the more "advanced" members of the sex. The member for Northhampion had no sympathy with political woman. It was he who so pitilessly dubbed the dames of the Primrose League "Primrose Follies."

London World.

## Thanksgiving Day and Julian

By FLORENCE HOLMES BEACH.

Day. She had never before been away from her native land on this happy fes-ival, and indeed had she not looked at

the memory of that last Thanksgiving Day, when to the general rejoicing was added the announcement of her engagement to Julian. How pleased every one was at the news, but none so proud and happy as herself, though she never would have owned to a supersider of the supersider.

coated man next her. The voice was very familiar. The first glance at his close-cropped black curis and broad shoulders sent the blood rushing to her

into his knees. He caught it adrottly and returned it with a quizzical smile.

She was obliged to say "Thank you," which she tried to do in the most distant manner. The effect, however, was rather lost by her general breathless-

ing." I was arriad your segaining a little self-possession, but still unpleasantly conscious of a heightened color. He noticed it and mentally voted it very becoming.

"Yes," he said, "I did not know the honor that was in store for me until I looked at the plan of the tablesclear soup, please—but perhaps you arranged it?"

"No, indeed," she said, indignantly; "we did not know you; we had no idea

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"we did not know you; we had no idea
who would be sitting next to us. One
has to take the place that is allotted."
She gave a casual glance around the
room. ""At such places one sits next to
strange people. The company is very
mixed."

speech. Sadie, momentarily forgetting herself and her shatterd affections, leaned back in her chair and listened with a mingled sense of wonder and admiration. Towards the close the speaker said: "Surely one of the chief charms of a woman is her inconsistency. While we are never sure how a woman will treat us, whether she will smile or whether she will frown, or what she will do under any circumstances, then it is that we adore her. She is not a problem in Euclid, to be solved by mathematics; she is x-the unknown quantiti, charming in her vasiaries, bewitching in her variations. I ask you now, gentlemen, to charge your glasses and drink to "The Ladies." Amid many cheers and much applause the toast was drunk.

Sadie turned to him, her eyes shining: "That was splendid," she said; "I congratulate you."

He gave her a curious inscrutable look, which somehow gave her a new feeling of shyness. "Thank you," he said.

When the last toast had been drunk the company began to move away from the tables. mixed."
"It is, indeed," he said, heartily; "that is why I was so pleased to find kind fate had put me next to"—he paused—"the charming partner I had beside me at last Thanksgiving dinner."
"Perhaps," she replied, "if you knew her feelings you would not be so thank-

glorious hair you can imagine."
"Who is that woman with the enormous tower of diamonds on her head

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1528—Henry VIII, and Francis I. declared war against/ Charles V., of Germany. 1552—The Duke of Somerset beheaded on pretense of inciting others to imprison Dudley, the Duke of Northumberland,

He was a distinguished writer of that

age,
1804—A memorial was presented to Congress urging that the importation of
slaves into the Territory of Louislana
be prolibited, a resolution to that
effect already having been passed by
the Secute.

1810-The French forced the passage of

the cities of Popayan and Pasto al most entirely destroyed and many

lives lost,
John Y. Mason, United States min-

#### Commence of the second was also resumed on the canal across the point opposite Vicksburg. 1864 A picket line of five ships was or

ganized to carry passengers and freight between Chicago and Liver-pool, England, a line between Chicago and Norway already being in success-ful operation. 1874-Cuban citizens and foreign mer

through. In the crush she had lost of her father. A man carelessly ping backwards cannoned into her

said Julian.

Just then a woman's voice hailed him.

"Ah! Mr. Abbott, I've been waiting to
see you. I saw you at the table, but
you didn't see me. My! that was a bully
speech you made."

The speaker, a stout, good-natured
looking woman, pushed her way up to
the pair, and shook hands very heartily
with Julian.

chants resident there, compelled by the Spanish government to pay a forced loan of \$30,000,000 to suppress an insurrection 1879-The Zulus defeated British forces

in South Africa, with the loss of thirty officers and 570 men.

1884—Matthew Arnold, the famous Eng-lish scholar, lectured in Chicago on "Numbers," the newspapers next day calling attention to his method of parting his hair in "the center."

4—The Democratic House at Wash-ington voted for free sugar, 137 to 52, and struck out the sugar bounty pro-vision in the Wilson tariff bill. 1810—The French forced the passage of the Sierra Morena, Spain.

1818—Caspar Wistar, a distinguished phy-sician of Philadelphia, died. He was of German parentage, and a mem-ber of the Society of Friends; became eminent as an anatomist and corre-sponded with Cuyler and other emi-nent naturalists of Europe.

1830—The Provincial Parliament of Lower Canada opened at Quebec. 1904—Robert W. Blankenship, genera manager of the Old Dominion Iron and Nail Works, accidentally killed.

1904—Moundsville, Ala., with 300 popula-tion, destroyed by tornado; thirty-seven persons killed and 100 injured; victims blown hundreds of feet.

#### Bit Woman's Finger Off. Charged with fighting, Robinette Tur-

1804 John Y. Mason, United States minister to France, presented his credentials to Louis Napoleon.
1855 S. M. Rooth, convicted in Milwaukee for altempting to rescue a fugitive slave, was sentenced to a fine of a thousand dollars and one month's imprisonment. ner, a negrees from the Ward, was locked up at the Second Police Station yesterday, and this morning will be given an opportunity to tell Justice Crutchfield

a thousand dollars and one month's imprisonment.

1863—Third attack on Vicksburg After the capture of Arkansas Post, General McClernand returned to Vicksburg and resumed the siege of that place. Work

## Bits of Quick News For Hurried Readers

Charged With Bribing a Mayor and welcomed to-day the announcement of a bull-fight January 23th, in which three noted matadors will participate.

Morocco to Fire on Belgian Flag. MALAGA, SPAIN, Jan, 21.—ti is rumor-ed at Meillia, the Spanish settlement on the north coast of Morocco, that the Mo-roccan gunboat 8id Et Turki is preparing to bombard the Marchica factory, where the Belgian flag is floating.

## Eighty-five Miles of Pipe to Cost

\$1,000,000.
PITTSBURG, Jan. 21.—Contracts have been let for gas mains, which insures natural gas for Cincinnati, Columbus and other Ohlo towns, with the National Suply Company and Shang, Chairun & Coffer eighty-five melecity and bladd from the Knox-Liethie eight of the pipe fields of Ohlo to the city line of Cincinnati, will cost \$1,000.00.

#### Says Wives Need a Trouncing; Fined.

Woman Cut Out of Tin Roof. EATON, O., January 21.—Mrs. Mark Lodge was in the yard of her home when a heavy storm broke, and the wind blew a tin roof down, completely enveloping her. As the tin rolled her along she was so tightly wrapped in its folds that she had to be cut out.

Man, Fired By State, Asks Dam-

ages.
WORCESTER, MASS, January II.—Suit for damages has been brought here against the State of Massachusetts by a man who lost his job and talled to make a living when thrown on the world. His Ashes in Mississippi.

San Blas Indians Hostile,

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PANAMA, VIA GALVESTON. TEX.,
January 21.—Captain Lovelace, of the
Panama gun-boat Orienta, returned to-day
from a visit to the entire San Blas coast,
He reports having been compelled to take
down the Colombian flag in all the Indians' villages. Innanaquina, chief of the
greater part of the San Blas Indians, is
still sullen, and, though temporarily intimidated, may give trouble by harassing
the traders along his coast. "I think," Sadie said to her father, "we ought to be going."

She slowly pushed back her chair, and took up her fan and gloves. The elation had died out of her eyes, and she looked very tired.

She followed her father down the room into the vestibule. There was a large crowd there and she had to fight her way through. In the exhibition of the control of the contro

Yale Has Monthly Magazine.

Peace Delegates to See Bull Fight

## Scottish Giant Dead.

Ingratitude Pauperizes Parents.

Can Take Drink On Way to Work

Out for a Walk, Jewels Stolen.

Murders On Wane in Kentucky, MOUNT STERLING, KY., Jan. 21.—The Circuit Court opened here last week with only one murder case on its docket, the smallest number at any term in forty years. The murder was committed nine years ago, and the murderre escaped, but the authorities keep the case on the docket.

## Asleep, Falls Into Hot Water

Vat.

PITTSBURG, Jan. 21.—James Bishop, c
No. 17 Race Street, Philadelphia, was fata
ly scalded last night at a sait works. H
fell asleep on a plank over one of th
vats and rolled into the vat of scaldin
water. To Stop Insurance Rebating.

Mother of Five Pairs of Twins and One Set of Triplets.

Church 188 Years Old Collapses. EL PASO, TEX., Jan. 21.—The ancient Catholic Church at Temosconic, which was built by missionaries working with the Indians, and was 183 years old, has collapsed and is a wreck. Nobody was injured.

Spark Fires Stockton Plant. LAMBERTVILLE, N. J., Jan. 21.—The rubber works at Stockton, four miles above the city, were set on fire by a spark from the boiler house this afternoon and damaged to the extent of \$5,000, fully covered by insurance.

## CARNEGIE'S \$4,000,000 MISS EVELYN WALSH RELIEF FUND IS SHORT

### More Than \$66,000 Above \$200,- Fractured Thighbone Failed to 000 Annual Income Spent in a Year.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) cards of figures were posted at each of the Carnegie mills and other Carnegie

Her example, in 1905 the disbursements were \$66,290.15 more than the income, showing that the increase in accidents, showing that the increase in accidents, deaths and disabilities among the work-men have increased to an extent hardly reckoned with by Carnegie when he se aside the \$4,000,000

Welsh and McCarthy To-day. Welsh and McCarthy To-day.

John Welsh and John McCarthy, alleged proprietors of a gambling joint on Seveneth Street, near Broad, will be given a hearing in Police Court this morning. As evidence against them there will be a crap table and several poker chips and dice. The place, No. 310 North Seventh Street, was raided Saturday night about welve o'clock by Officers Wiley, Neisz, Sheppard and Thomas.

In the event of a conviction the men will have to go to jail. The law for conducting a gaming establishment prescribes the punishment as from \$10 to \$500 and from 1, say, to 12 months in jail.

## Row Raised in a Car.

Samuel Hyam, a fifteen-year-old white boy, was arrested last night and charged with being disorderly on a Main Street car of the Passenger and Power Com-pany. Shortly after his arrest he was balled for his appearance in Police Court

bailed for his appearance in Poince Court this morning.
Conductor Woodson made the complaint against the youth. It is alleged that Hyam, in company with several other boys, boarded a Main Street car and becoming disorderly, were ordered off They started a fuss and when it ended several windows in the car had been smashed and Hyam was in trouble. His companions escaped.

## Alumnae Called to Meet.

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Mrs Montague desires the alunmae of Remaine Seminary, under the administrations of Mr. D. Lee Powell and Mr. John H. Powell to meet with her at the Executive Mansion, on Wednesday next. at 12 c'clock to organize a Powell Memorial Association, the object of which shall be the endowment of a Powell Memorial Room, in the Needy Confederate Woman's Home. The Alumnae will thus have the opportunity of perpetualing the memory of two of Richmond and Virginia's most beloved educators and, at the same time, of adding the support of the worthlest of charities. The Alumnae generally are appealed to.

## Railroad Man Promoted.

(By Associated Press.)

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 21.—J. C. MoDonald, the Pacific agent of the Mexican Central, with headquarters at San Francisco, has been appointed as general passenger agent of that road.

# IS OPERATED ON AGAIN

Knit and She Will Be Invalid Long.

## Killed Brother-in-Law.

ORLANDO, FLA., Jan. 21.—In a family quarrel last night Noah Bird shot and killed Josh Mizel at the home of the latter atout the miss room town. Mizel's wife is Bird's size. He was in bad humen be claim, her and Bird interfered, when he claim, where he claim, whereupon Bird shot killing him instantly. Both men are white, and have been residents of this section all their lives.

## Two Men Killed in Collision.

(By Associated Press.)
MEXICO CITY, January VI.—Two men, a locomotive engineer and express mea-senger, were killed outright in a collision between a passenger and a freight train on the Inter-Oceanic Railway. Two oth-ers were severely injured. The baggage car contained half a million silver dollars for exportation, but none were lost.

Loafers As Trouble Makers.

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Did you ever consider how much trouble and turmoil in the world is stirred up by loafers? Do it and you will be surprised, Investigate carefully and you will find that nine of the ten fusses and quarrels that you know of he your town or neighborhood were started by loafers who had no business of their own to attend to and so got busy with other people's affairs.—Burlington (Kan.) Republican.

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